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Mr. Walter Elder
Executive Secretary, Committee on Foreign
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Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Walt:

As I depart as Director of Central Intelligence and Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Intelligence and the National Foreign Intelligence Board, I want to express to you my appreciation for the outstanding support you have supplied me in your capacity as Executive Secretary for these two organizations.

I have been impressed by your vigorous response to the heavy workload and the stress of perpetually imminent deadlines. You and your staff have contributed in a significant way to the Board, the Committee, and the Intelligence Community.

May I wish you the best in the years ahead.

Sincerely,

/s/ George Bush

George Bush

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